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MEMORANDUM FOR: [REDACTED]

SUBJECT : MC 224 and MCM (MBFR)

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1. Having assured through Laura that you now hold a copy of [REDACTED] message to us [REDACTED], I am offering my comment. [REDACTED] has a very valid point, if the figures go significantly higher than our holdings. For this reason, I am enclosing a "straw man" guidance piece that might prove useful to you. Here at Langley, all are aware that guidance is your responsibility and that political environment (e.g. Congress curtailment of AID to Turkey) can influence your position at this time. I think the straw man mild enough and straight forward so as to minimize adverse impact and might even be salutary for the future.

2. In view of the tight conference schedule, I would appreciate a phone call at your earliest convenience on Thursday to discuss further.

Very Respectfully,

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National Intelligence Officer
Conventional Forces

Attachment:
a/s

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